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Attorney General of the United States.  
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Dear Sir:

In Volume XXIII of the " Hearings Before the Presidents Commission on the Assassination of President Kennedy", I found several instances in Commission Exhibit 1974, where the Dallas Police Department radio-logs for November 22, 1963, show that reports were made concerning several suspects, some of whom were armed with rifles. However, upon further examination of the twenty-six volumes of the Warren Report, I was unable to find any evidence that investigations had been made concerning those individuals. I have enclosed copies of several letters involved in my inquiry into the matter.

The first, is my letter of inquiry to the Dallas Police Department, requesting information about the three suspects reported in CE 1974 and the second letter is a reply from the Acting Chief of Police in which he refused to comment on the matter. The third and fourth letters are my request to the Federal Bureau of Investigation and Director Hoover's reply in which he states that the information that I am after should be in the National Archives and that he has no authority to release any information in the Bureau's reports. The last letter is from the Archivist of the United States and he says that he knows of no other radio-log transcripts except for the ones in the Report. I would assume that the Dallas police would have investigated the suspects and that agents of the F.B.I. would have had access to their investigative reports but there is no mention of any such investigations in the Warren Report and neither the Dallas Police Department nor the Federal Bureau of Investigation comment on this matter.

I feel that the questions raised in CE 1974 of the Warren Report need to be answered and I wonder if you would be willing to assist me by authorizing the responsible agency to make this information public, or direct me to a source from which I may obtain it. Your kind attention will be most appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

*Emory L Brown Jr.*

Enclosures ( 5 )